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		First Inventor	Robert A. Van Tassel	
		Title	METHOD FOR TREATMENT OF ANEURYSMS	
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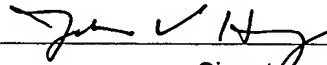
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